section of the report of the legislative committee was taken up for adoption or rejection, the committee recommending the policy of local option, and stating its reasons therefor at length. That section of the report provides that the General Assembly be requested to "give every district or county the right to decide by a majority vote whether ardent spirits shall be sold in any town of said district or county. This is what is commonly known as the county unit law."

The committee finally recommended as follows:

"Resolved. That we iterate the declaration of 1805, that under present conditions we favor the principle of local option in carrying on our work against the salcon, preferring to carry on the work of education in all the towns and cities in the State which have not yet voted on the question of license. But should it become clearly evident that such legislation as will properly protect no-license territory from evasions of the law, and as will place proper, restrictions upon the liquof traffe in license territory, has not been enacted, or that we have gone as far as we can go with profit to our cause under the local option policy, we shall be obliged to change our policy and demand the right to vote on the question of a State-wide prohibitory law."

Following are the other sections of

To request the General Assembly of Virginia to change the present liquor laws in the following particulars:

"To provide that all districts or counties in which dispensaries for the sale of ardent spirits have been located by special act of Legislature shall be given the right to vote upon the question of the continuance of said dispensaries whenever a petition is presented to the circuit judge signed by as many qualified voters as will equal one-fourth of the number cast in said district or county in the last general election; and, furthermore, inasmuch as after a fair trial it is evident that the dispensary system does not result in a steady decrease, but rather as an in a steady decrease, but rather as an increase, in the sale of liquor, the General Asembly is requested to enact such legislation as will eliminate the element of profit on the sale of ardent spirits by such dispensaries."

Restrictions Advocated, To amend the definition of ardent spirits so that any mixture shall be known as ardent spirits which contains more alcohol than the amount permitted by the United States revenue laws in order to be free from the payment of United States revenue tax To amend the law so that it shall be unlawful to sell or dispense ardent pirits to any female to be drunk on he premises where sold, or to sell or dispose to any person ardent spirits to be drunk by any female on the premises where sold, and to further amend the law so that it shall be unlawful for any female or minor to enter a place where liquor is sold at

retail, except in a place where bona fide meals without liquor are furnished to the general public. To amend the law so that no sa-

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To amend the law so that license to self ardent spirits shall be revoked whenever the provisions of the law see violated, requiring the keeping of orderly place, forbidding the sale Sunday or Christmas or election or between the hours of 10 P. M. 5 A. M. on any day, or forbidding sale to minors, junatics, epileptics abitual drunkards, intoxicated per-dustrial drunkards, intoxicated per-dustrial drunkards, intoxicated per-dustrial drunkards, and to tra-ter amend the law so that, when-ver license to sell ardent spirits has

To increase the penalties for drunk-nness, so that it may be more fully scognized as a crime against the indidual, the family, society and the

State.

To give power to the Governor of Virginia to see that the laws of the Commonwealth are enforced, so that his oath of office to see that the laws are enforced may be supported by proper legislation.

robibit, the granting of liquor in districts contigous to cities the cities have voted against spirits at summer or health resorts, vent its abuse. except to bona fide guests; to prohibit the granting of license within 400 feet of a school, college or university building to prohibit the granting of the committee of the c building; to prohibit the granting of license at any place if there is a written remonstrance against said license presented to the judge, signed by a nagiority of the property owners and tenants renting property on the side of the square on which the saloon is located, and the confronting side of the same square. And when such remonstrance is once filed it shall stand for the balance of that licensing year, unless the signers formally withdraw their names from the same, and finally to demand a re-enactment of the origtheir names from the same, and finally to demand a re-enactment of the original provision, requiring all persons, tirms and corporations desiring license, used to sell ardent spirits to post notice on the place where it is desired to sell the same thirty days in advance of said application.

To authorize town and city councils and heards of supervisors to make spe-

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ment of the law, and to use such por-tion of fines collected as may be neces-sary to pay back said appropriations, provided such reimbursements can be made in accordance with the Constitu-tion.

To carefully consider the question of passing a law which will allow duly licensed druggists to furnish ardent spirits upon the prescription of duly licensed physicians, the said privilege to be granted under such provisions, limitations and penalties as will prevent its abuse.

Morning Session

The features of the morning session were the election of the present executive committee, the appointment by convention committees and the reports from Rev. R. H. Bennett, D. D., superintendent; Rev. J. D. McAlistor, field secretary; Ed. J. Richardson, field secretary of Northern Virginia, and O. Ryder, Jr., field day orator. Several ringing addresses were also made duringing addresses were also made duringing addresses were also made durringing addresses were also made dur-The evening session of the conven-tion was devoted to the scheduled ad-

THE WEATHER

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CONDITIONS YESTERDAY,

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twice a day, and were very fond of it	Maximum temperature up to 5 P. M. 67
"My husband had been subject to	Minimum temperature up to 5 P. M. 52
severe attacks of sick headache ford	Mean temperature 69
years, and at such times could not en-	Normal temperature 29
dure the sight or smell of coffee. This	Excess in temperature yesterday 21
led me to suspect that coffee was the	Accum, excess in temperature since
cause of his trouble.	January 1
"I was also troubled very much with	Accum, deficiency in rainfall since
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dresses, and Epworth Church was crowded. The feature of the evening was the address of Hon. Seaborn Wright of Georgia, who made an able

Cannon had me in mind, thus.

Cannon is silent.

Should do, because innuendo is mean and detestable. Unlike the vices of syntax, constant usage does not make it right, and there is no authority high enough to give it a respectable status enough to give it a respectable status about his statement. I refuse to be drawn into any newspaper controversy.

"I say, furthermore, if the reference was to me, as the dispatch from Norfolk states, it was positively mendacious. I have not sought to dictate to the Anti-Saloon League, directly or indirectly, or ever cared to. I have taken not one whit more interest in its work latterly than formerly. While I never souched a drop of whiskey in my life, I have never falled to vote for its expulsion from my town, or to avow my desire to vote for its expulsion from the State, and have always, when appealed to, contributed to the expense fund of the Virginia Anti-Saloon League. Saloon League.

"I never have desired and never shall seek to make my personal habits or views on this question a source of political notoriety. I was not only surprised, but a little irritated when the Sinto press of the control of the source of the sourc the State press some weeks age began to discuss my views on the question of

with the talk of me for Governor.

"Nevertheless, having no concealments to make, I simply made none, but stated my position fully and frankly. I had no reason to suspect that a declaration from me in favor of driving the coars science for Mustales.

Glass Makes Reply to Anti-Salon Leader's Remarks at Convention.

The Times-Dispatch Bureau, Congress Hall, Washington, D. C., February 10.
Representative Carter Glass to-night made a very deliberate and quiet, but none the less emphatic, comment on the dispatch from Norfolk in The Times-Dispatch this morning, which contained the statement that Dr. James Cannon "did not fail to pay his respects to Carter Glass, for, without calling Mr. Glass's name, he declared the leagues would not be dictated to by politicians who had but lately taken an interest in the work."

Said Mr. Glass, when his attention was drawn to this criticism: "If Dr. Cannon had me in mind, there was no my he should have refrained from calling my name. That is present to calling my name. That is present to cannor had the should have refrained from calling my name. That is present to cannor had the should have refrained from calling my name. That is present to me of his as an invasion of the right to monopolize hasn liquor traffic. I did not hassum to state anybody's views but my own, and unless my nature shall radically change, the time will never come when I shall fear or fail to do this wherever or whenever I please.

Never Attempted Pictation.

So far from undertaking to dictate to the Anti-Saloon League in what I made last December not to be a candidate for Governor than the suggestion of conscience. "It seems to me," concluded Mr. Glass's name, he declared the leagues would not be dictated to by politicians who had but lately taken an interest in the work."

Said Mr. Glass, when his attention was drawn to this criticism: "If Dr. Cannon had me in mind, there was no single circumstance that more certainly caused me to adhere to the decision of the fear of a question. The same that more cannon would have experienced no difficulty in shaping the policy of the State Anti-Saloon League as he had designed doing without finding it necessary to travel outside the domain of truth to grantific. I do not know that Dr. Cannon has done the form Norfolk sa

about his statement. I refuse to be drawn into any newspaper controversy about it. I made no statement about any individual, but simply read the report of the committee. I refuse to indicate which section in the report I suppose is the basis of the dispatch. You can look for it in the report yourself."

PRESIDENT WINS

"Hon, P. A. Stanton, Sacramento, Cal. my heartiest thanks and "Accopt congratulations for the great service you have rendered. On behalf of the people of the United States, I thank the people of California and their representatives in the Legislature. "THEODORIZ ROOSEVELLY,"

Danger Is Over.
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 10.-The President to-day in talks with vis-

itors expressed the belief that the danger of rupture with Japan is practically over. John Temple Graves was among those to whom the President talked on the subject. Mr. Graves would not repeat any of the President's words, but declared that the President had averted grave dangers to the Pacific Coast and the country.

OBITUARY

John Allen Jeter, Jr.

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News has been received by relatives here of the death in Monticello, Ark., of John Allen Jeier, Jr., a brother of Sergeant James P. Jeier, of this city, A mative of Amelia county, Va., the cldest son of a large family, he was named after his father, who was for hineteen years the sheriff of Amelia county. His mother was before her marriage Miss Ann Page.

John Allen Jeier went to Arkansas-before the Civil War, and while there served with distinction in Company B. Second Arkansas Cavalry, Colonel W. F. Slemen's regiment.

He is survived by his wife, three sens and three daughters, all of whom live in or near Monticello, Ark. His funeral took place on February 2. Rev. J. P. Hemley difficiated, and the interment was in Oakland Cemetery, near the city, where he had made his home since leaving Virginia.

Mrs. Leora F. Baughan, aged fifty-

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Mrs. Martin S. Robertson,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROANOKE, VA., February 10.—Mrs.
Martha S. Robertson died to-day, aged
sixty-nine years. She was a native of
Buckingham county. She is survived
by five children.

Miss Caroline M. Taylor

[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
OFFLEY, VA., February 10.—James
Watkins, of Caroline county, died just
night at the age of eighty years.

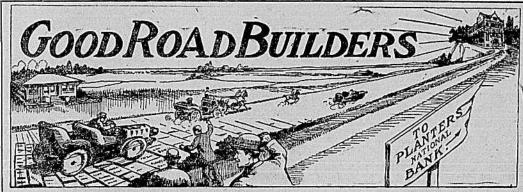
DEATHS

Funeral from residence THIS (Thursday) AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. Burlal in Oakwood. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

DAY, the 11th. Services at the grave.

RICHARDS.—Died, on January 1st, near
Remington, Fauquier county, JOHN
SPOTTSWOOD RICHARDS, in his
eighty-seventh year. He was for
many years a leading physician of
Albemarle county. He is survived
by two daughters—Mrs. J. B. Fowers, of Catlett, and Mrs. N. Bispham,
of Remington; also a brother—Dr.
Geo. W. Richards, of Rockingham
county. He was graduated from
the University of Virginia in 1853.
Served as surgeon in the War Between the States and continued his
practice up to a short time before
his death. Was a member of the
Mcthodist Church for thirty-five
years. He leaves many friends in
this and adjoining counties.

Peace to his ashes.
His remains were interred at Mt,
Piensant, the old homestead, in Albemarle.



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